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the delegates voting, but never even a simple majority of the full conven-tion strength, much less the necessary two-thirds. Fifty-seven ballots were taken, the Douglas vote falling between 145 and 152. The southerners supported R. M. T. Hunter of Virginia, James Guthrie of Kentucky, and Andrew Johnson of Tennessee—that same be the Republican nominee for vice-president and to become president an Lincoln's death. On every ballot gen-eral B. F. Butler of Massachusetts voted for Jefferson Davis, of Missis-

On May 3, after 10 days of fruitless endeavor, the convention adopted a resolution to adjourn to meet in Baltimore on June 18. Many delegates at the time remarked that this was the anniversary of Waterloo.

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In the meantime the southern delegates who had withdrawn from the convention met in another hall in Charleston and organized as a national convention. They adopted as a platform the majority report that had been made by the committee on resolutions of the national convention. After four days of speech-making they adjourned to meet in Richmond on June 11. When they did remssemble on that day they at once adjourned until June 21.

The regular convention reassembled in Baltimure on June 18. The chairin Baltimore on June 18. The chairman, Calch Cushing of Missachusetts, at the very beginning threw the convention into confusion by declaring that the adoption of the platform as made at Charleston, was subject to reconsideration. Three whole cays were spent in filling the vacancles from the southern states. In some cases the original delegates applied for readmission and from nearly every state there were contesting delegations.

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These contests were, as at Charleston, decided in favor of the Douglas delegations had been seated the anti-Douglas men saw that Douglas would be a minated, and that they had no chance to prevent it. Thereupon they led a second bolt, the Virginia delegation, which had not joined in the original secsation, starting the movement. It was followed by most of the southern states and by a few northern delegates, including Mr. Cushing, the president of the convention.

Governor Tod, of Ohio, was elected to succeed Mr. Cushing, and the convention then proceeded to vote on the

nomination for president. On the first ballot Stephen A. Douglas received 172 1-2 vetes, James Guthrie of Kentucky 10, and John C. Breekinridge of Kentucky 15. But even on this vote Douglas did not receive the 202 vetes Dougins did not receive the 202 vetes necessary for two-thirds of the full convention strength. Another ballot was taken and Douglas received 181 1-2 votes. Thereupon the strict two-thirds rule yas suspended, and by resolution Mr. Douglas was declared to be the nominee. Benjamin Fitzpatrick, of Alabama, was nominated for vice president, but he declined, and the honor was given to Herschel V. Johnson, of Georgia. Then the convention adopted an additional resolution to be added to the platform, declaring that it was in accordance with the Interpretation of the Cincinnate platform that all questions affecting the territorial governments under the federal constitution should be finally Botters Name Breckenridge.

more convention after the Bouglas

its work quickly. It adopted as a platform the majority report of the Charleston committee on resolutions, and unanimously nominated John C. Breckenridge for president and Joseph Lane of Oregon, for vice president. In the meantime the Charleston se-

ceders who had met at Richmond on June 21, were adjourning from day to day and making speeches. Finally the Richmond convention on June 28 adopted the nominations of Brecken-ridge and Lane, and then adjourned. It was this complicated split that brought about the election of Lincoln Lincoln received 1,858,352 popular votes and 180 electoral votes. Douglas received 1,275,000 popular votes but only 12 electoral votes; Breckenridge got only \$47,953 popular votes but 72 electoral votes. Bell and Everett the Constitutional Union candidates, received 500,000 popular votes and 29 electoral votes.

electoral votes.

The other national convention of 1850 was the first and last meeting of the Constitutional Union party. It met in Baltimers on May 2, and was the result of a vain attempt to bring the old time Wrigs back together it nominated John Bell, of Tennessee, for president and Edward Everett of Massachusetts for vice president. It was sachusetts for vice president. It was the last stand of the altra-conserva-tives who deplored any agitation whatever of the slavery question.

### TABLETS ERECTED TO HONOR A HERO

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road south of the Mohawk river leads

ling to Fort Stanwix."

Herkimer's column camped that might between Oriskany creek and Sauquoint creek, about two miles in the forest. Here the old warrior intended to tarry till be had reconsitered the enemy, but on the morning of August 6, the efficers under his command goaded him on with taunts of cowardice, with the result that he gave the order to advance, and fell into an ambush prepared for him by Brant and his reduced.

Brant engaged every inch of Herktshattered the indian attack, and though they never reached Fort Stan-wix, they exhibited the fighting ca-pacity of their foes and the slege was

Herkimer was wounded early in the Herkinser was wounded cattly to cattle, but directed the fight from a little rise of ground where he sat in the saddle of his dead horse, replying the saddle of his dead horse, replying to all importunities to reire, "I will face the enemy." The general died three days later at his homestead from an unsuccessful amputation of his leg

this famous route are not the only memorials to the dead hero. The sito of Fort Stanwiz is already marked by a cannon, the postoffice building in Rome, N. Y., bears a memorial tablet. Rome, N. Y., bears a memorial tablet, the North James street park, Rome, N., Y., contains a life size statue, and on the battle field itself there is a bronze memorial shaft

### CHICAGO MAN MEETS DEATH IN HONDURAS

Washington, D. C., June S.—Attorney Prederick Pierpont Shaw, representative of the Chicago Title & Trust company, who was acting under order of the federal court for the northern district of Illinois in the case of the Central American Commercial company, was assessmated June 5 at Black river, Triena, Honduras. The American legation at Terucipalia, in reporting the

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different things are to be taken into consideration. In the first place, it is known that he will receive the solid support of the prohibition Democraty which, according to the vote cast on support of the prohibition Democraty which, according to the vote cast on the proposed statewide prohibition amendment to the constitution last year, is only 6,900 less than the total wet vote in Texas. The next important factor that promises to contribute largely to judge Ramsey's support is that many thousand antiprohibitionists in the state believe that it is to the interest of the antiprohibition cause to defeat Colquit for reelection. Those who view the situation in this light say it is better for liquor regulation measures to be emetted and enforced such as are proposed by judge Ramsey than to retain Colquit in the office of governor, as his pronounced and unof governor, as his pronounced and ur compromising opposition to such measures would cause the drys in the legi-

lature to again submit to the people the proposition of adopting a statewide prohibition amendment to the constitution. It is the leaser of two alleged objections that is behind the support which many wets are giving Ramsey in his candidacy far governor.

Women Against Governor.

One of the teatures of the campaign that is attracting no little interest is the fight which is being made against Colquitt by the Daughters of the Republic because of his alleged moddle-someness in regard to rehabilitating the historic Alamo building at San Antenio. The women who belong to this origanization are scattered all over the state and that they wield a big political influence can not be questioned. cal influence can not be questioned They are exercising their utmos strength to elect judge Ramsey gov

rnor.
It is also said it can be counted on It is also said it can be counted on that Ramsey will receive practically the full vote that was cast for R. V. Davidson, K. M. Poindexter and Cone Johnson in their race against Colquitt two years ago. It is also a noteworthy fact that 30 percent of the members of the bar of Texas are supporting Ramsey. Strange as the statement may seem, it is claimed that this is the situation in San Antonio and all over south Texas where the wets rely for their chief support. The labor vote, both organized and unorganized, will, it is said, go solid for Ramsey.

Party Should Free Itself.

Party Should for Ramsey.

Party Should Pree Itself.

Back of the revolution that is now in progress in Texas Democratic politics, is the feeling on the part of the men who are opposing Wolfers and Colquitt that it is time the party should be freed from the liquor interests which are alleged to have controlled it for the last account years. anound he freed from the liquor interests which are alleged to have controled it for the last several years. It is not emmity or opposition to these interests themselves that is causing such an uprising against them, but it is due to the part which they are and have been taking in politics. The same opposition would probably be aroused against any other character of business interests that sought to dominate the political affairs of the state. It is claimed that through the power of the liquor interests a domineering political machine was built up which has had little resard for the rights and wishes of the mass of voters.

It is Simply Evolution.

The change of sentiment on the part of the Democrats in this state which brought about the defeat of the party's organization in the recent state convention has been going on for several years. It was sufficiently strong two years ago to place in the legislature an element which convents.

pears, who was acting under order of the federal court for the northern district of Illinois in the case of the Central American Commercial, company, was assausificated June 5 at Black river. Triena, Honduras. The American legation at Tegucigalpa, in reporting the matter to the state department, states that the assausin, who is not named, has been captured.

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He was sufficiently strong two years ago to place in the legislature years ago to place in the legislature in the case of the Central American Commercial, company, in the matter of legislature. It also may be maid to have been one of the can wear shoes one size smaller by shaking into them Alien's Foot-Ease, the anti-mination on the part of J. W. Balley to relize from the senate. The latter found blunself out of harmony with the new political element that was combining power in this state. He is said to have been one of the may substitute.

Holeproof son, Bryan Bros. tion to the senate was certain to occur

The antiBalley Democrats as well as other supporters in Texas of governor Woodrow Whison for president are obtaining no little satisfaction over the action of the recent state convention in retiring R. M. Johnston, of Houston, from his position as national committeeman from this state and the elevation to that position of Cato Sells. If the Democratic primaries, which are to be held July 17, result in the nomination of Ramsey for governor, as is now confidently expected by men who are close observers of the situation, it will mean that the same faction which controlled the convention at which delegates at large were selected to the national convention will be to the national convention will be full charge of the convention which to confirm the results of the primaries in the nomination of candidates for state office and that it will name a new chairman of the state executive committee in place of Sheb Williams. It is said that T. B. Love, of Dailns, will be cleated to this position.

Pretty wash ties. Bryan Bron.

## NEW GROUNDS FOR THE COUNTRY CLUB

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design with stainers shingle roof, is being covered and will be completed before the end of the summer. It will
cost \$10.000 when completed.

Plan for New Grounds.

A movement has been started among
the members of the Country club to
buy a tract of land in the El Paso vailey which will be held for the future
use of the club as its grounds. The
plan is for 100 members of the Country
club to buy an aire each in one tract
in the El Paso valley. This tract will
be held intact by the club until such a
time that the present club building
and grounds can be disposed of at a
suburban residence. A club home in suburban residence. A club home in the valley will then be constructed, according to the proposed plan. Be-cause of the fact that the gulf course s limited by the Fort Blus reservain the valley, the members say, will make such a location for the club an

Plaza Puts on Rose Gown. Plaza Puts on Rose Gown.
San Jacinto plaza is putting on its
rose gown with green trimmings for
the summer social events. Park commissioner Kobert Harris has the downtown plaza looking like a June bride
this spring. A fine set of clover has
been obtained by the park commissioner, after the entire tract was spaded over last winter to eliminate the
cocoa grass. In addition to the clover
triangles the commissioner has had a
privet hedge set out as borders for
each of the interesecting walks, and
has planted the rockery in the alligator pool with traffing memorial roses. tor pool with trailing memorial roses.

Tree roses have also been set out in
the circle just inside of the pool onclosure and more roses planted on the rockery which was built over the base of the old bandstand. In each of the bads on the north side of the park, roses are blooming and other varieties of this flower will be planted in the different beds of the park this sum-

New belts. Bryan Bres.

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where, 25c. Don't accept any substitute.

(Continued from preceding page) advice, and kept their plans well to

Where Paley Came In. It was at this juncture that Michsel Foley comes into the story. He
was down on his luck, as usual. Life
had not been a continuous round of
pleasure for him. He had been dissppointed in love four times. He had
met with many physical accidents, his body bearing numerous bruises. He had but recently broken both arms and a leg. He was working at the time as foreman on a gypsum quarry, but he was on the lookout for anything better that might turn up!

It was not hard to interest the dis-It was not hard to interest the dis-contented Foley in the scheme. He was the very man that was needed. There the very man that was needed. There was still one drawback—the quarrying must be done at night or Sundays, and the quarrymen did not like to work then. Extra rounds of beer solved this difficulty and the men set to work Tracturing out as large a block as possible of the gypsum. Folsy himself, a short time before his acath, carried the story along oute a ways:

his death, carried the story slong quite a ways:

"We succeeded in detaching from the bed, near Gypsum creek, a fragment 12 feet long, 4 feet wide and 21 inches thick. This block contained the unhewer form of the future "Cardiff giant," which gave me a new grip on life. The next problem that confronted us was how to remove this immense mass of rock 40 miles to a railroad. The man who took the contract broke down every bridge between Fort Dodge and Boone in getting the stone there. It was tinally

tween Fort Dedge and Boone in get-ting the stone there. It was tinally leaded on a flat car and shipped to E. Burghardt a Chicago sculptor.

"Burghardt was in the game. He lived on North Clark street, in Chi-cago. The block was removed to his barn, the windows and doors blinded, and a German sculptor named Salle and another named Markham began the work of chiseling out the giant.

Making The Giant Old.

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"Hull found so much trouble in keeping his workmen at their task that he was obliged to do much of the work himself. To give the glant a water-worn appearance, fluil filled a sponge with water and sand, and for weeks rubbed the gypsum until it actually took on a fair semblance of antiquity. Pores in the giant's skin wore made by pounding the image with a leaden hammer, filled with darning needles. The pores thus produced are the pin heles which so puzzled a number of learned microscopiats.

"With all this the statute still looked fresh. So Hull washed the surface with a gallon of ink, and then, this tint being too artificial, the whole was rewashed with sulphuric acid, giving it a dingy hus, as of Making The Ginnt Old. whole was rewasten with sulphuric acid, giving it a dingy hus, as of great age. I have often had a quiet laugh to myself over the remarks of investigators on the 'reddish tinge' about the giant's nostries and finger.

"When all this was done the giant was ready for transportation."

Hurying The Statue.

This is as far as Foley's story carried the Cardiff giant, but investigation discloses the remainder, fully

gation discloses the gather than a sutheritically. The statue completed, it was shippped to Union. N. Y., marked "Finished marble, G. Olda." Hull had not yet decided where he wanted to inter and discover the giant figure. Inter and discover the giant figure. roundings, etc.

The giant figure.

This was a matter which must be inought over carefully. The figure must be found where the theory that it was the remains of a prehistoric man would be borne out by surroundings, etc.

So the giant started on its journey-lines, Freight bills trace it from Chi-

ings. Freight bills trace it from Chi- account of the Cardiff giant.



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cago to Suspension Bridge, to Syra-prehistoric man was yielding a revenue cuse, to Binghamton, to Union. Fin-ally it was a ided that the best available spot was near Syracuse. Fossil-spot, near the burn where a well had been started. The details of the bur-ial and the unexpected resurrection by men to be employed to dig a well

by men to be employed to dig a well-were then and there arranged.

The Gians "Sleeps."

Hull returned home, engaged his nephew Tracy Hull, and a neighbor named Amesbury to transport the image on a four norse wagon to Carolif, as the farm locality was called. The freight bill for this trip was \$77.52. The giant arrived an a dark, and rainy night in November without \$77.52. The giant arrived an a dark, and rainy night in November, without attracting notice. The heavy box was concealed in a large pile of chaff, and a few nights later was removed to a pit at the well site by means of a darrick. errick. There the statue was bur-

A year was allowed to pass, then the discovery" was made. Acting under instructions from Hull, Newell began to dig his well. Those who assisted him were Glideon Emmons, Henry Nichols, John Parker and Smith Woodmansee. While excavating, Nichole's shovel struck a hard subyear was allowed to pass, then the stance. As he cleared the earth away from a massive stone foot, Emmon exclaimed: Jerusalem, Nichols, it's a big injun."

"The Glant" Is Found.

The Cardiff giant, petrified prehis-toric man, has been "found."

The neighbors were the first to rush in and look at the wonderful sight. Then the entire county heard sight. Then the entire county heard of the wonder. The first men of scientific reputation to examine the fossil were four doctors of the neighborhood. Dana, Parker, McDonald and Rendall, who immediately pronounced the statue a petrification. Soon thereafter Dr. John F. Beynton, of Syracuse, an antiquarian, examined it and expressed the opinion that it was a status made some 100 years before by the Jesuit fathers. He offered a statue made some 100 years before by the Jessit fathers. He offered \$10,000 for the curio. Hill and his associates had the good sense to refuse the offer. It was not long until they sold the status for a sum spriously reported as ranging from \$30,000 to \$50,000. The purchasers were Alfred Higgins, agent of the American Express company in Syracuse; Dr. Amos Westcott, a dentist and ex-miyor of the same city; Simeon Rouse, a Mr. Spencer, Amos Gillet, J. M. Ellis and B. T. Finch, all of Syracuse. A showman was placed in charge of the same city advertisement, invitations were sent asking Prof. Agassig, Prof. Hall, New York state geologists, and Samuel H. Woolwooth, secretary of the board of regents of the university, to come and scientifically examine the forest terms.

Science Says "Perfeet."

The Cardiff giant immediately be-came the sensation of the day. Scien-tific men came from all over the world to inspect it. Without excep-tion, at first, they pronounced it gen-

000 was offered for a one-eighth interest in the statue.

The testimony of the scientists was unanimous. Ralph Waldo Emerson pronounced it beyond his depth. Cyrus Cobb declared that the man who called the Cardiff giant a humbus called himself a fool. Henry A. Ward. of Rochester university, expressed the opinion that the giant, "although not dating back to the stone age, is deserving of the attention of erchae-clogists." ologists."

The Fake Exposed.

Finally one voice was lifted in pro-test, the voice of Prof. O. C. Marsh, of Yals. He argued that, although gypsum is soluble in 400 parts of water, yet the surface of the giant was smooth and little dissolved, though surrounded by wet earth, thus proving that the burlal must have been recent. Next, someone called attention to the

giant's head. It was perfectly baid, the sculptors not being finished ar-tists enough to chisel hair in the

Finally, the confederates began to fall out. One had not received what he helieved to be his share; one out in Fort Dodge had "squealed" on the whole scheme; the people who had watched the suspicious atraogers about the sypsum beds and seen the huge block start eastward put two and two together and told their de-

ductions

Perhaps, after all, the Cardiff giant
was a huge swindle. But it was a
money maker still, for a time. Unable
to buy the original, Barnum had a
German sculptor make a copy, and this
he exhibited in a New York museum
as the original, denouncing the Cardiff statue as a base imitation. The Hear Unmasked.

There were then two prehistories men petrified; one or the other, or both, must be swindles.

The Cardiff glant went down gradually, the confederates, of whom there were many, continued to tell their tales. The Chicago sculptors confessed to having phisled the figure. Then the Cardiff glant was indeed undone. It soon disappeared from public gaze.

But Hull had been vindicated in his theory as to the credulity of mankind.

But Hull had been vindicated in his theory as to the credulity of mankind. He had enriched himself, having purchased several substantial brick blocks in Binghamton with his share of the profits. Foley had returned to Fort Dodge and invested in Iowa real estate. All who had foisted the scheme on the public were prospering, and that was the main thing they cared for—the giant might go to smash. that was the main thing they cared for—the giant might go to smash. Years passed and Foley of Fort Dodge found the heedee of his life broken; the Cardiff giant had brought him luck. At the age of \$2, prosperous, with 24 grandchildren and two great grandchildren, he passed away, the memory of the gigantic hoax with him to the very last.

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SWEARS AWAY FINES AFTER SERVING OUT JAHL SENTENCES

There is a federal sintute which says that a man who has been given a fall that a man who has been given a jail sentence and also fined, may be released at the expiration of the jail sentence if he has proved that he has nothing with which to pay the fine. I. R. Brown, who was sentenced to Jo days in jail and to pay a fine of \$100, was released Saturday upon making a sworn statement that he has nothing with which to pay the \$100 fine.

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